IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

n re Application of:

THOMAS FEY ET AL.

Serial No. 10/611,731

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For: Process for Production of Paint Coating

Layers

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

TERMINAL DISCLAIMER UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.321(b) TO **OBVIATE A PROVISIONAL DOUBLE PATENTING REJECTION** OVER A PENDING SECOND APPLICATION

Petitioner, E.I. du Pont de Nemours and Company, of 1007 Market Street, Wilmington, DE, represents that it is the assignee of all title and interest in United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/611,731 filed on July 1, 2003 for Process for Production of Paint Coating Layers.

Petitioner, E.I. du Pont de Nemours and Company, hereby disclaims the terminal part of any patent granted on the above-identified application, which would extend beyond the expiration date any patent issuing from United States Patent Application Serial Number 10/017,132, and hereby agrees that any patent so granted on the above-identified application shall be enforceable only for and during such period that the legal title to said patent shall be the same as the legal title to any patent issuing from United States Patent Application Serial Number 10/017,132. Petitioner does not disclaim any terminal part of any patent granted on the aboveidentified application prior to the expiration date of the full statutory term of any patent issuing from United States Patent Application Serial Number 10/017,132, in the event that the patent issuing from United States Patent Application Serial Number 10/017,132, is abandoned, expires for failure to pay a maintenance fee, is held disclaimed in whole or terminally disclaimed under 37 C.F.R. §1.321(a), has all claims canceled by reexamination certificate, or is otherwise terminated prior to the expiration of its statutory term, except for the separation of legal title as stated above. This disclaimer shall not be effective against any patent term extensions

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For submission on behalf of the Petitioner, the undersigned is empowered to act on behalf of the organization.

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Please charge our Deposit Account No. 04-1928 (E.I. du Pont de Nemours and Company) for the fee required for this Terminal Disclaimer under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d). Two copies of this form are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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